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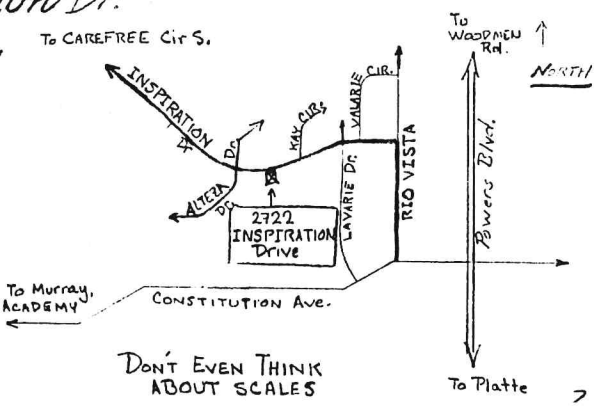

DON'T EVEN THINK ABOUT SCALES

Unto the Populace of Dragonsspine
Concerning the Selection of a New Baron

At the Warlord Tournament on 3 June AS XXIV, Sir Olaf stepped down as the Baron of Dragonsspine. Their Majesties, Johann and Layla, appointed Demetrios and Melissa as Vicar and Vicaress to govern this Barony in Their Names until a new Baron and Baroness are selected. Let us all give them our support during the coming months.

We are now beginning the process for the selection of the new Baron and Baroness. The Crown has the final authority for the selection, after considering the comments of the populace. Kingdom Law (Section VIII.D.1, May AS XXIV *Outlandish Herald*) establishes three steps in the selection process:

1. The Crown solicits recommendations.
2. The Crown reviews the recommendations and presents those They deem fit to the populace through the local seneschal at a duly advertised meeting.
3. Comments by the populace are considered by the Crown before the final selection.

The first step is now in progress. <u>All</u> SCA members residing in the Barony are eligible. Those wishing to make a recommendation, either individually or as a group, should now make that recommendation <u>in writing</u> to the Crown. The recommendation should include some background on the individual(s) as they may not be known to the Crown. All recommendations should be received by Their Majesties by mid-July.

To permit the entire populace to participate in the selection, we are planning to hold the required populace meeting in mid-September, after the Colorado College members return. This will allow Their Majesties time to review the recommendations and return the list of acceptable individuals to the seneschal so that the meeting can be advertised in both the *Outlandish Herald* and the *Meiasis Dragon*. Our comments will then be submitted to the Crown as expeditiously as possible so that the investure of the new Baron and Baroness can take place in October.

Lambert

Greetings Unto the Barony of Dragonsspine:

The KSSS/Community Club Awards campaign PAID OFF. Not only did we have fun and frolic at the party but we made contacts for future demos. The mundanes wandered about the Hilton asking, "Who are those people?", and KSSS was more than happy to tell them - even going so far as to make an announcement regarding Brigano's Bizarre.

We left the pay-off party just a little drunker (Greenstreet's mixed drinks were $1.50) and a lot richer - $460.00 (that's four hundred sixty dollars) richer. The break-down is as follows ...

Bi-Weekly	.....	$ 185.00
Overall	..... 7th Place	75.00
Sponsor Award	... Vincent's Travel ...	100.00
Sponsor Award	..... Ehnes-Rink	100.00
	TOTAL ....*****	$ 460.00

We did not win the Cruise. The KSSS people jokingly offered to leave the room and let the CCA-ers fight it out, last one standing would take it - which was fine with us - we had weapons! But, the cruise went to the Grandmothers Association. They also collected $2,000.00 (that's two THOUSAND dollars) in cash awards. Take heed - little, old, grey-haired ladies with cameras stomped our Baronial butt.

Which brings us to our news flash, the next KSSS/CCA campaign will begin anew in November 1989. HOWEVER, by going to the pay-off party and signing our Barony up for another round: we can begin collecting receipts NOW. All of the sponsors we have been working with will continue with the CCA - including Vincent's Travel Agency (Baron Lambert, are you listening?!!). CCA was a very profitable eneavor for the teensy amount of work required on our part and I strongly encourage our re-participation. There is no reason why our Barony can't do just as well, if not better (hint, nudge) than we did this time. So please, please, save those receipts, put them in a shoe box or old coffee can but, SAVE-SAVE-SAVE.

It was again necessary to name a CCA Chairperson and, with no ready volunteers at hand, I signed my name. I would prefer it if someone else would handle the next campaign. I am a veteran willing to lend whatever aid, comfort and guidance that is needed but, I'd rather not go back into the trenches, if ya know what I mean.

Our final Cruise Tally is listed below. Our Barony can be proud of the job these people did and, a little pat on the back next time you see them is always most welcome ...

	EARNED POINTS	BONUS POINTS
Baron Lambert	14,379.68	201.000
Lord James Oui Connait	6,188.11	1,346.200
Lord Haroun	3,033.95	1,231.000
Milord Ja'Far	2,573.15	?.000
Lord Ian	1,609.66	37.000
Lady Lydia	1,580.50	
Milady Rachel	1,437.46	
Lady Brilliana	1,112.13	117.000
Countess Beatrix	1,027.07	
Baroness Miranda	576.96	6,000
Milady Liobsynde	538.35	1.000
Baron Sir Olaf	331.41	57.000
Lord Harold	304.47	8.000
Lady Minna	215.30	
Lord Breichiol map Lludd	173.04	
Duchess Selene	153.73	
Milady Meargil	152.63	225,000
Milord Niall		50,000

As always I remain. In Faithful Service to the Barony of Dragonsspine,

Milady Dovita 'A'isha of Valencia

HARVEST TOURNEY IN DRAGONSSPINE

Once again the Barony of Dragonsspine will hold its annual Harvest Tourney. There will be a heavy weapons list and an Arts and Sciences competition/demo. You can enter the competition or merely exhibit your items. The winner of the list and the arts competition will each receive prizes. The highest placing Dragonsspinian in the arts competition will become the Baronial Champion for the year. There will be a Germanic style feast of lentils with sausage, sauer kraut with spare ribs, bread and butter, apple drink (unless you B.Y.O.B.) and Selene's Schaum Torte. Same site as Crown Tourney which is 2 weeks later.

WHAT: Dragonsspine's Harvest Tourney
WHEN: Saturday, September 23, 1989
WHERE: Sallie Bush Community Hall in Green Mountain Falls (site of Candlemas, Courtenier's, etc.) -- see map
HOW MUCH: Site - $3.00
Feast - $4.50 in advance (by Sept. 15)
- $6.00 at the door (before noon)
children ages 6 thru 12 half price on everything
children under 6 free

Make check payable to S.C.A. - Dragonsspine

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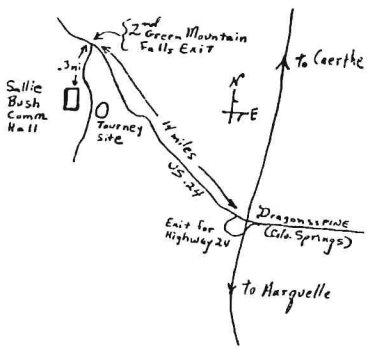


Note 1

ADOPT-A-ROAD

The next Road Clean-Up is July 11th (Tuesday) starting at 6:30 pm. Meet at "the Horses" on the baronial highway LXXXIII (83) or call Lord James 574-0657 for directions (or if you need a ride).

Note 2

Christmas Caroling

There will be an organizational meeting for people interested in Christmas Caroling on July 10th at Qui Connait's house, 7:30 p.m. Bring any songs you particualrly like. (Or call James 574-0657).

Note 3

CROWN TOURNEY

Dragonsspine will be hosting the October Crown Tourney. More details will be forthcoming. -- Looks like Harvest Tourney will be a good warm-up two weeks before.

Mideastern Revel
Caer Galen
July 8, 5 pm

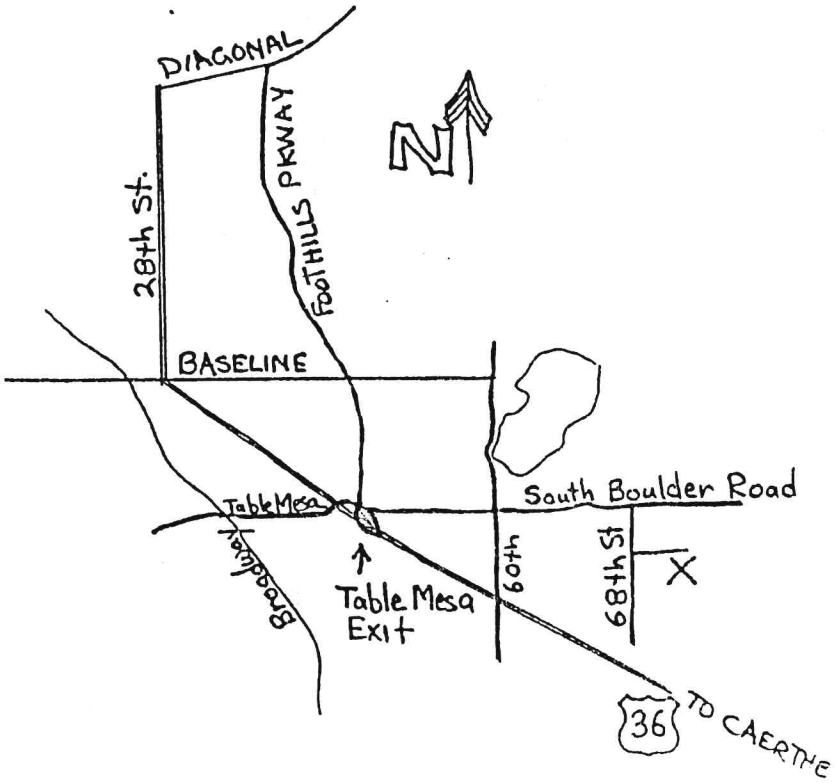
Come to the Shire of Caer Galen, in the Valley of Song, for an evening of Mideastern Pleasure. We have arranged for the use of an Oasis. All are invited to bring a potluck Middle Eastern, Mediteranean or Greek dish. There will be a barbeque available for those who want to bring their own meat to grill. After dinner, as the breezes cool us down from the heat of the day, there will be dancing, drumming, and other such merriment.

Site: 348 S. 68th Street, East of Boulder. See Map.

Bring: Potluck dish, rugs or blankets and pillows, tableware, drums, musical instruments.

Cost: Nada. Nothing. Zilcho. Well, OK, we might put out a brass bowl.

Autocrat: Mistress Elizabeth Freemountain.
H. 303-442-3421. W. 303-443-3350.



THE SOFT SWEET SMELL OF THE GREEN GRASS UNDERFOOT... SOFT GREEN LEAVES MURMURING IN THE BREEZE OVERHEAD... EVEN THE LIGHT IS TINTED GREEN AS IT FILTERS THROUGH THE TREES... AS THE GLADE FILLS WITH LORDS AND LADIES, IT IS DISCOVERED THAT THEY TOO ARE CLOTHED IN ALL THE GREENS OF NATURE'S KINGDOMS...

THE COLOUR COURT OF EMERALDS
A HUNT IN AN ENCHANTED FOREST
JULY 15TH
ST. ANDREW'S SEMINARY, MISSISSIPPI & BIRCH ST., DENVER

A HUNT TOURNEY IS PLANNED TO BEGIN AT 11 AM WITH RATTAN LISTS: MAN VS BEAST. (PLEASE BRING LONG WEAPONS: POLEARMS AND SPEARS; AND SHORT WEAPONS: DAGGERS & SHORT SWORDS.) AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE RATTAN LISTS (ABOUT 2 PM) RAPIER FIGHTERS CAN COMPETE IN THE BEAST VS BEAST LISTS. LADIES WILL BE ASKED TO SELECT THE THE BEST HUNT DEATH. THERE WILL ALSO BE SCROLLS PRESENTED FOR THE "HUNTER" AND THE "BEAST" VICTORIOUS IN THE LISTS.

LIGHT REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED UPON THE GREEN DURING THE AFTERNOON. MUSIC WILL BE PROVIDED FOR DANCING. PLEASE BRING YOUR PILLOWS AND BOARD GAMES TO COMPLETE A RELAXING AFTERNOON.

IN THE EVENING (ABOUT 6 PM) A FEAST WILL BE PREPARED BY HIS LORDSHIP ALEYN DOUGLAS STUART. THE FEAST WILL BE SERVED ABOVE AND BELOW THE SALT. THOSE CHOOSING TO ENJOY THE BELOW THE SALT FEAST WILL BE SERVED A BOUNTIFUL MEAL CONSISTING OF:

COURSES	
I	PEA SOUP, QUICHES, BREADS & BUTTER
II	CHICKEN WITH NOODLES, GREEN BEANS WITH ALMONDS
III	MEATS FROM THE HUNT, RICE, ARTICHOKE PIE
IV	GINGERCAKE, SHORT BREAD, FRUITS & CHEESES

COST OF THE BELOW THE SALT FEAST WILL BE $7.00/ADULT, $3.50 CHILDREN UNDER 12.

THOSE GOOD GENTLES CHOOSING TO BE SEATED AT THE ABOVE THE SALT FEAST WILL ENJOY ALL THE ABOVE WITH THESE ADDITIONS TO EACH COURSE:

I	PATE, STUFFED MUSHROOMS
II	DUCK WITH HERBED STUFFING
III	CROWN ROAST
IV	CHEESECAKES, STRAWBERRIES (WITH BROWN SUGAR & SOUR CREAM)

ABOVE THE SALT FEASTS WILL BE $15.00 AND WILL BE A FUNDRAISER FOR THE BARONY. SEATING ABOVE THE SALT WILL BE LIMITED TO 24. (THIS WILL BE DETERMINED BY THE FIRST 24 PAID RESERVATIONS. IF MORE ARE RECEIVED, DIFFERENCE IN COST WILL BE REFUNDED AT THE EVENT.)

ABOVE OR BELOW THE SALT - THERE WILL BE PLENTY OF FOOD FOR ALL.

SITE FEE (INCLUDING THE LIGHT AFTERNOON REFRESHMENTS) IS $3.00/ADULT; $1.00/CHILDREN UNDER 12. ALL RESERVATIONS MUST INCLUDE PAYMENT (CHECKS MADE OUT TO SCA-BARONY OF CAERTHE), AND BE RECEIVED BY THE GENERAL AUTOCRAT BY JUNE 30TH. OFF-BOARD SEATING CAN BE ARRANGED IN ADVANCE WITH THE GENERAL AUTOCRAT.

CONTESTS: MOST "EMERALD" COSTUME
MOST "EMERALD" ENCRUSTED COSTUME
BEST HUNT THEME COSTUME
BEST HUNT DEATH

SERVERS, KITCHEN HELP, SET AND CLEAN UP CREWS ARE NEEDED. PLEASE CONTACT THE GENERAL AUTOCRAT TO VOLUNTEER.

GENERAL AUTOCRAT
MORRIGAN DI WINTER
C/O BILLYE ROBERTS
3135 ARNETT ST. #302
BOULDER, CO 80304
303-443-8853

TOURNEY AUTOCRAT
DON ALEXANDRE D'AVIGNE
303-442-0959

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RESERVATION FORM

THIS RESERVATION IS FOR:

	SITE FEE ONLY	FEAST RESERVATIONS BELOW THE SALT		ABOVE THE SALT
		ADULT	CHILD	
SCA NAME	($3.50)	($10.50)	($4.50)	($18.50)

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TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED $_____

NUMBER OF FIGHTERS _____ FENCERS _____ WHO WILL ENTER LISTS.

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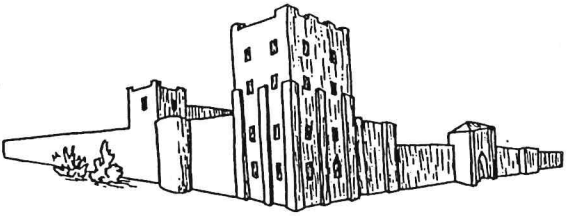


Unser Hafen Plunder Tourney
July 8th AS XXIV

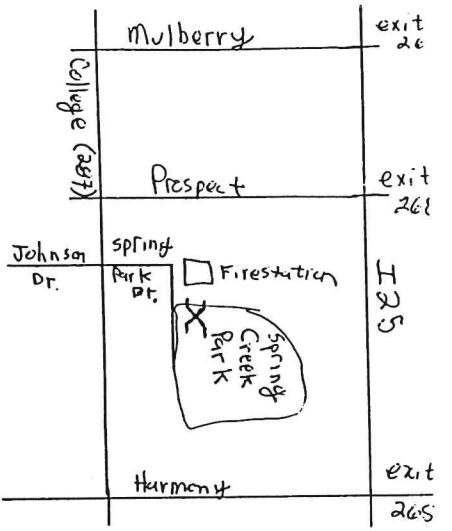
Well, here it is, July, and not a tourney in sight, very close any way. So I've decided to hold one.

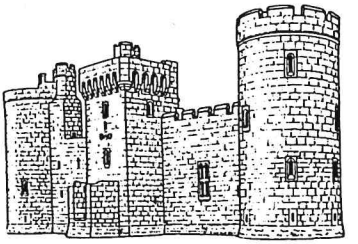
On July 8th we will be having a plunder tourney.
What is a plunder tourney? It's like this: bring a prize worth between $5.00 and $10.00 as your ransom. We will be having a round robin drawn weapons list. If you win, you get to take one of the prizes that belongs to the vanquished. What this means is that there will be a lot of fighting and many people will take home prizes, not just the top winner. The prize is your ransom, and the list fee; it doesn't have to be expensive, just not obviously junk.

The tourney site will be Spring Creek Park and has shade and restrooms very near, for fighters that wish to shower before going home or to Caer Galen's Middle Eastern revel that night, there will be some folk there to aid you in your search.

Autocrat:
Lord Kevin MacKinnon
(303) 221-0850

MAP TO THE SITE:





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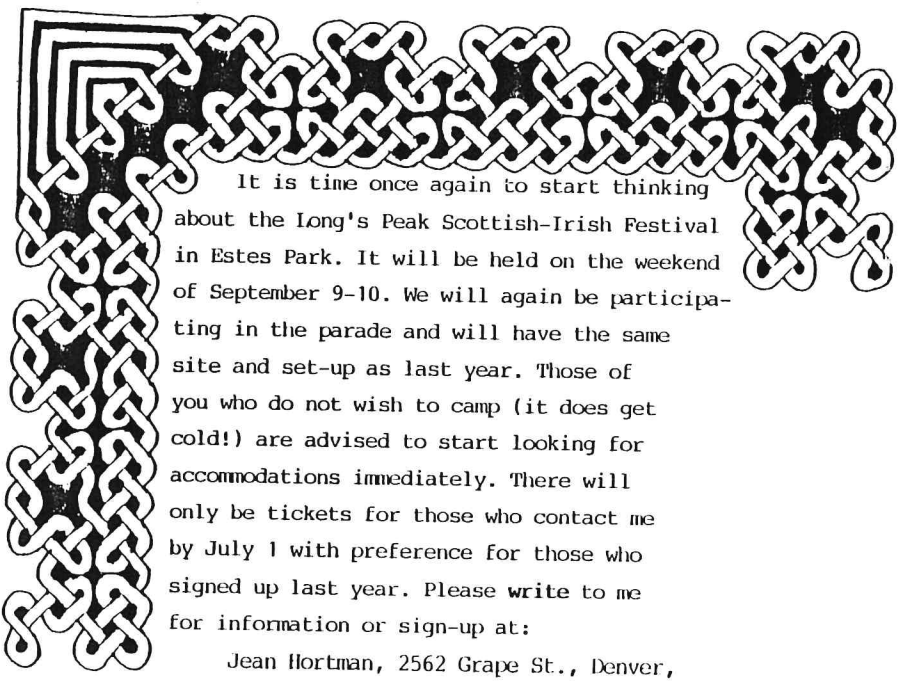
VNSER HAFEN DEFENDER

Ave! Centurion Titus Claudius Severus, Unser Hafen Defender, and The Shire of Unser Hafen proudly announce our VIth annual Defender Tourney, to be held at the Roman Outpost in the mountains above the Shire on September 16-17. The mundane location is Sno-Cap Stables, the same site as the wonderful Unmelees. There will be fine prizes for the winner of the tourney on Saturday, who will be our champion, and for the citizen of Unser Hafen who places highest in the tourney who will be our Defender. On Saturday evening, there will be a Roman-style feast and Oration competition. On Sunday there will be special Roman melees and gladiatorial games. This will be a camping event with fun and games for everyone. Bring your togas and chitons and renew your citizenship in the Empire. The Roman Army wants you!



It is time once again to start thinking about the Long's Peak Scottish-Irish Festival in Estes Park. It will be held on the weekend of September 9-10. We will again be participating in the parade and will have the same site and set-up as last year. Those of you who do not wish to camp (it does get cold!) are advised to start looking for accommodations immediately. There will only be tickets for those who contact me by July 1 with preference for those who signed up last year. Please write to me for information or sign-up at:

Jean Hortman, 2562 Grape St., Denver, Colo., 80207-3256

We are planning a live chess game for both days and need ideas for squares and volunteers for positions.

The Shire of Aarquelle

announces

THE QUEST FOR THE

FLAMING - O

July 22, A.S. XXIII

The quest revolves about the requirements for elevation to the peerage, plus some period (and sneaky) additions.

Teams of two are encouraged, though the solitary quester may earn additional glory.

Any weapons required will be provided; armor is not allowed. Bribery is allowed (bribes provided) but may be counter-productive.

The quester may encounter dust, mud, water and tree sap. Please dress accordingly.

There will be a bring-your-own-food picnic following the quest. Aarquelle will provide non-alcoholic beverages.

See next month's Herald for site and fee information.

Autocrat: Elizabeth Wigglesworth, (719-561-3609).

Highland Tourney!!!

There'll be a gatherin' o' the Clans Saturday July 15th at the Western Sportsman Campground in Monument. The Scottish Society of the Pikes Peak Region is putting on their seventh annual Highland Games. The Barony of Dragonsspine has agreed to put on a tournament and demos of our Arts and Sciences. We'd also like to have music and perphaps dancing.

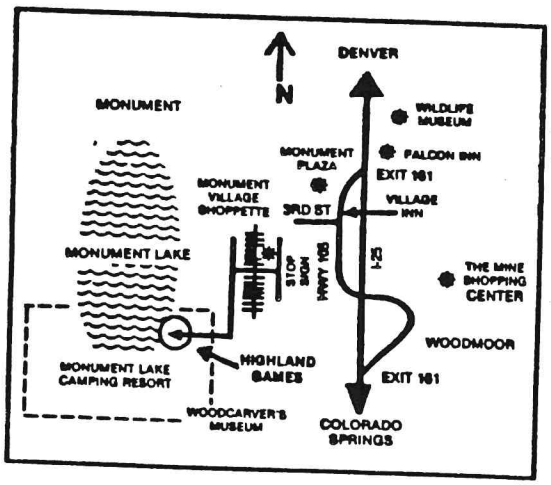
Ord Lothar will run a Highland-style list, including Claymore or Great Sword. There is a prize of a silver kilt pin in the shape of a claymore. In addition to the Tourney there will be a Scottish Costuming Competition with a prize of a Scottish pin.

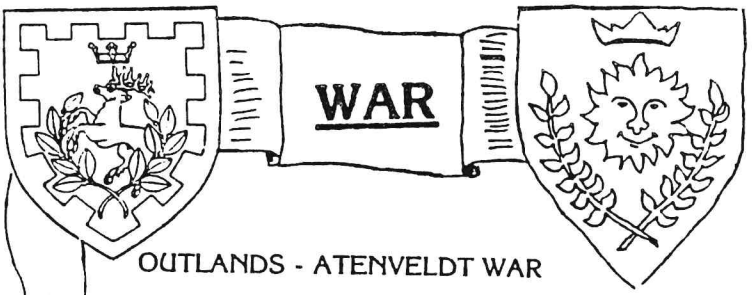
7:00-8:00 Set-up (They want all vehicle of the grounds by 8:00)
9:00 Site Opens
11:00 Opening Court followed by armour inspection
12:00 Grand Parade of Exhibitors (that includes us!)
1:00 Tourney Begins
Dancing and music throughout
6:00 Site Closes

This is a day event only. There is no feast, but food and drink is available at booths on site. Shade is limited on site so BRING SHADE ! ! ! Camping is available on site from the Western Sportsman Assoc. at $9.00/night. There are flush privies and showers. All dogs must be on a leash. We are being given a discount on the price of tickets but onlyif they are purchased in advance ($3.00 instead of $5.50, smalls 6 and under are free). If you don't get an exhibitor's ticket from Baroness Miranda, BEFOREHAND, you'll have to pay full price. No tickee, no discount. . .

Come and help the Pikes Peak Area Highland Games grow to be like Estes Park! Sharpen your Claymore, dust off your Targe, tune your harp and practice your dances and come join us for a whale of good time.

Autocrat: Baroness Miranda Mac Tyre 495-0547





OUTLANDS - ATENVELDT WAR

Were you among the first at Pennsic I? The first Estrella? Be there to hear the First Clash of the Outlands forces against those of Atenveldt this July 14-17.

This is a beautiful but primitive site with a fully stocked lake for free fishing (NO SWIMMING). Bring water, lots of water and warm clothing for mountain nights. Prepare for extremely primitive camping and if at all possible plan to set up in the daylight. This is a completely wooded area and deadwood is in abundance. The fire hazard will be great and all fires must be contained in a pit and well watched. Bring a shovel and a rake for this purpose. A little caution will preserve this site for the future.

The area has it's share of cactus and boots are suggested for everyone. All pets must be leashed and children will need to be supervised.

Again this is the San Juan Mountains, come prepared. There is a small local store about 5 miles from the site, but only necessities are carried there.

Mostly woods battles are planned, with some other scenarios as well. A quest, hugging auction, bardic circle and other surprises are planned.

Merchants are welcome but encouraged to get reservations in early due to limited space, a $10.00 fee will be charged.

We stress this is a discreetly wet site, period containers only!!

The site fee has been lowered to $5.00 for members, $8.00 for non-members and children under twelve half-price.

Remember the site is 31 miles from Farmington and about 25 miles from Durango. Signs will be well posted from both directions.

For more information and reservations contact:

Lady Esme ffolkes of Mercia
1916 Cliffside Dr.
Farmington, NM 87401
(505)327-1224

REGULARITIES

Combat practice: ~~Mitchell High School~~ - Mondays at 7:30. If we're not there, try Village Green (east of Academy on Carefree.) ←

Business Meeting: 1st Wednesdays. Call Lord Harold, 598-7499.

Beledi and Arnoring: every Thursday at the Tegen's at 8:00, call 597-5259.

Musicians: Mondays at 7:30 at combat practice.

Courtly Dance: 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 7:30 on the Colorado College campus, Boettcher Health Center basement. Will be moving to summer site.

Scribes: 2nd and 4th Tuesdays at the Yakura's at 7:00, call 591-5281.

GUILDS

Armor and Metalworking -- Duke Albert (597-5259) or see regularities.

Cooks and Herbs -- Baroness Miranda (495-0547)

Costume and Needlework -- Lady Brilliana (598-1072)

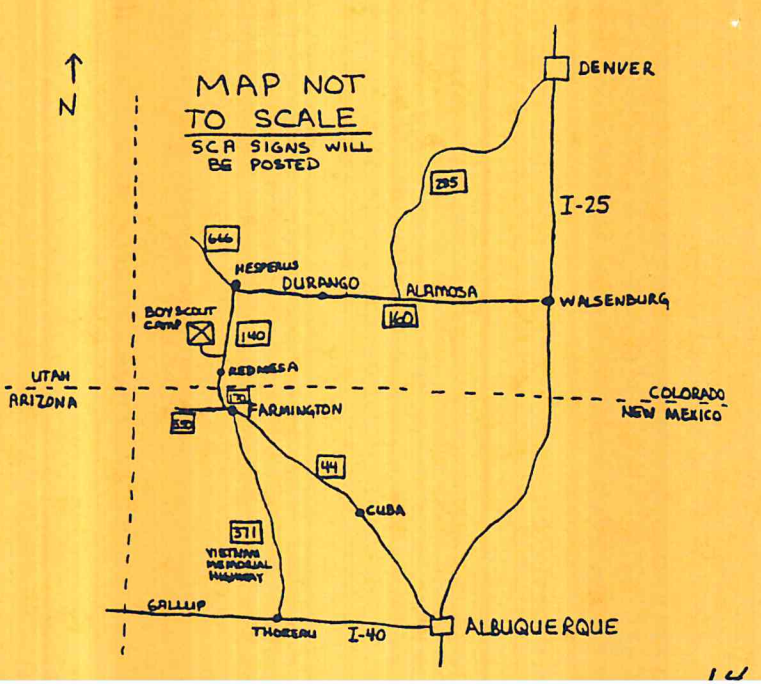
Elder Knowledge -- Duchess Selene (597-5259)

Scribes -- Lord Demetrios (591-5281) or see regularities.

Vintning and Brewing -- Duke Albert (597-5259)

Performing Arts Guilds
- Beledi -- Duchess Selene (597-5259) or see regularities.
- Dance -- Lord Bran map Lludd (473-2233 ext. 2788) or see regularities.
- Music -- Milady Liobsynde (593-9652) or see regularities.
- Song -- no leader
- Other -- no organizer (are YOU ready to volunteer?)

Newcomers are welcome at all Barony Dragonsspine events. There is never an increase in the site or feast fee for newcomers. Sponsors are responsible for appropriate garb except at those events which are explicitly designated for newcomers, when the hospitaller's office will provide.



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